

## A RESOLUTION OF THE Board of Directors of the Imperial Valley Board of REALTORS®

## SUPPORTING THE SALTON SEA AUTHORITY PLAN FOR MULTI-PURPOSE PROJECT

THE Board of Directors OF The Imperial Valley Board of REALTORS® DOES HEREBY
RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

WHEREAS, the Salton Sea Authority is a Joint Powers Agency formed Under the laws of the State of California by a Joint Powers Agreement dated 1993, and is the regional agency for identifying and implementing corrective measures to preserve the beneficial uses of the Sea; and

WHEREAS, the Salton Sea Authority has conducted extensive research And scientific investigation of the Salton Sea and has studied numerous alternative measures to restore and revitalize the Sea; and

WHEREAS, on June 29, 2006, the Board of Directors of the Salton Sea Authority voted unanimously to adopt the Executive Summary of the Salton Sea Conceptual Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Directors of the Imperial Valley Board of REALTORS® finds that the Salton Sea

Authority Conceptual Plan best meets the needs to provide wildlife habitats, improve water quality, and protect air quality in our region; and

WHEREAS, the Salton Sea Conceptual Plan also creates major recreational and economic development opportunities in the Coachella and Imperial Valleys; and

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WHEREAS, the Salton Sea Conceptual Plan best meets the needs of The Imperial Valley Board of REALTORS®, its constituents, and those living and working in the Coachella and Imperial Valleys; and

WHEREAS, the Salton Sea Authority Conceptual Plan is superior to other alternatives that the State of California and the U.S. Department of Interior, Bureau of Reclamation, are considering during their programmatic EIR and Alternatives study; and

WHEREAS, prior to the formal adopting or implementation of any Restoration plan, the Salton Sea Authority will cause any project to undergo a Thorough and environmental analysis pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of the Imperial Valley Board of REALTORS® as follow:

- The Imperial Valley Board of REALTORS® hereby supports the "Salton Sea Authority Conceptual Plan for Multi-Purpose Project" as the preferred plan; and
   The Imperial Valley Board of REALTORS® encourages the State of California and the Department of Interior to select the Salton Sea
   Authority Conceptual Plan as the preferred alternative for Salton Sea
   Restoration and revitalization; and
  - 3) The Imperial Valley Board of REALTORS® encourages cities and counties
    And other entities to join it in support of the Salton Sea Authority
    Conceptual Plan.

## PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED by

The Imperial Valley Board of REALTORS® Board of Directors this 15<sup>th</sup> day of November 2006.